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AT the Court at *St. James's*, the 5th Day of *February*, 1776.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

SHERIFFS appointed by His Majesty in Council for the Year 1776.

Berkshire,	Hugh Watts, of Lovells Hill, Esq;
Bedfordshire,	Christopher Tower, of Houghton Regis, Esq;
Bucks,	Robert Campbell, of Fullmere, Esq;
Cumberland,	Roger Williamson, of Snettlegarth, Esq;
Cheshire,	John Astley, of Duckenfield, Esq;
Camb' & Hunt'	Richard Reynolds, of Little Paxton, Esq;
Cornwall,	Postponed.
Devonshire,	John Baring, of Mount Radford, Esq;
Dorsetshire,	John Meech, of Dorchester, Esq;
Derbyshire,	Bache Thornhill, of Derby, Esq;
Essex,	Richard French Muilman Chiswell, of Debden Hall, Esq;
Gloucestershire,	Henry Lippincot, of Stoke Bishop, Esq;
Hertfordshire,	Thomas Harwood, of Preston, Esq;
Herefordshire,	James King, of Stanton, Esq;
Kent,	William Philip Perryn, of West Farleigh, Esq;
Leicestershire,	Robert Haymes, of Great Glen, Esq;
Lincolnshire,	Samuel Kerry Thorold, of Harmston, Esq;
Monmouthshire,	Philip Meakins Hardwick, of Monmouth, Esq;
Northumberland,	John Askew, of Pallinsburn, Esq;
Northamptonshire,	Sir Justinian Isham, of Lamport, Bart.
Norfolk,	Nicholas Styleman, of Snettisham, Esq;
Nottinghamshire,	Abel Smith, the Younger, of Bulcote, Esq;
Oxfordshire,	Oldfield Bowles, of North Aston, Esq;
Rutlandshire,	Henry Sharpe, of Wing, Esq;
Shropshire,	Thomas Jelf Powys, of Berwick, Esq;
Somersetshire,	Thomas Wilkins Morgan, of St. George's, Esq;
Staffordshire,	William Tennant, of Shenstone, Esq;
Suffolk,	John Frere, of Bacton, Esq;
County of Southampton,	John Walter, of Baddesley, Esq;
Surrey,	George Ward, of Wandsworth, Esq;
Sussex,	Edward Hutchinson, of Horncroft, Esq;
Warwickshire,	Sir Thomas Gooch, of Birmingham, Bart.
Worcestershire,	Josiah Dinely, of Peopleton, Esq;
Wiltshire,	William Northey, of Chippenham, Esq;
Yorkshire,	Giles Earle, of Benningbrough, Esq;

SOUTH WALES.

Glamorgan,	William Hurst, of Gabalva, Esq;
Breconshire,	Walter Watkins, of Llanelly, Esq;
Radnorshire,	Richard Davies, of Lanstephan, Esq;
Carmarthen,	William Herbert Dyer, of Aberglasney, Esq;
Pembroke,	John Harries, of Crygglase, Esq;
Cardigan,	Edward Vaughan, of Green Grove, Esq;

NORTH WALES.

Anglesey,	Hugh Hughes, of Bodrwyn, Esq;
Carnarvonshire,	James Coytmore Pugh, of Penrhyn, Esq;
Merionethshire,	William Williams, of Penniarth Ucha, Esq;
Montgomeryshire,	Thomas Proctor, of Aberhavesp, Esq;
Denbighshire,	John Humberston Cawley, of Gwersilt, Esq;
Flintshire,	Robert Foulkes, of Gwernygron, Esq;

ADMIRALTY-OFFICE, FEBRUARY 5, 1776.

THIS Day, in Pursuance of the King's Pleasure, the following Flag Officers of His Majesty's Fleet were promoted, viz.

Sir James Douglas, Knt.
Right Honourable George Lord Edgcumbe,
Samuel Graves, Esq;
William Parry, Esq;
Honourable Augustus Keppel,
} *Vice Admirals of the White,—To be Vice Admirals of the Red.*

John Amherst, Esq;
His Royal Highness Henry Frederick Duke of Cumberland,
Sir Peter Denis, Bart.
Mathew Buckle, Esq;
Robert Man, Esq;
} *Vice Admirals of the Blue,*

Clark Gayton, Esq;
} *Rear Admiral of the Red,*

} *To be Vice Admirals of the White.*

John Montagu,

[Price Three-Pence.]

John Montagu, Esq;
Sir Robert Harland, Bart.
James Sayer, Esq;
} *Rear Admirals of the Red,*

Right Honourable Richard Lord Viscount Howe,
Right Honourable Washington Earl Ferrers,
Hugh Pigot, Esq;
Molineux Shuldham, Esq;
} *Rear Admirals of the White,*

} *To be Vice Admirals of the Blue.*

John Vaughan, Esq; *Rear Admiral of the White,*
John Lloyd, Esq;
Robert Duff, Esq;
} *Rear Admirals of the Blue,*
} *To be Rear Admirals of the Red.*

John Reynolds, Esq;
Sir Hugh Palliser, Bart.
} *Rear Admirals of the Blue,—To be Rear Admirals of the White.*

Commissions signed by His Majesty, for the Army in Ireland.

18*th Regiment of Light Dragoons*, Mr. John Swords to be Cornet, vice William Arthur Crosbie, who retires. Dated January 6, 1776.

9*th, Foot*, Lieutenant William Stone, of the 44th, Foot, to be Captain, vice Nicholas Delacherois, who retires. Dated as above.

15*th, Foot*, Serjeant Major John Bathe to be Adjutant, vice John George Goldfrapp, who retires. Dated as above.

20*th, Foot*, Major John Lind, of the 34th, Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice John Parr, who retires. Dated as above.

33*d, Foot*, Captain-Lieutenant Thomas Greening to be Captain, vice George Burnett, deceased. Dated as above.

Lieutenant William Gore to be Captain-Lieutenant, vice Thomas Greening. Dated as above.

Ensign Thomas Gorges to be Lieutenant, vice William Gore. Dated as above.

Mr. Hibbert Newton to be Ensign, vice Thomas Gorges. Dated as above.

34*th, Foot*, Captain Alexander Dundas to be Major, vice John Lind, promoted. Dated as above.

Lieutenant George Churchill to be Captain, vice Alexander Dundas. Dated as above.

Ensign William Osborne Hamilton to be Lieutenant, vice George Churchill. Dated as above.

53*d, Foot*, Mr. Phanuel Latham to be Ensign, vice John Hamilton Browne; by Purchase. Dated as above.

57*th, Foot*, Mr. James Graham to be Ensign, vice Edward Thornhill, who retires. Dated January 9, 1776.

66*th, Foot*, Lieutenant-Colonel Joseph Gabbett, of the 15th, Foot, to be Colonel, vice Lord Adam Gordon, removed. Dated January 13, 1776.

19*th, Foot*, Captain William Hatsell to be Major, vice John Bird, promoted. Dated as above.

24*th, Foot*, Major-General William Tayler to be Colonel, vice the Honourable Edward Cornwallis, deceased. Dated January 15, 1776.

62*d, Foot*, Lieutenant-Colonel Valentine Jones to be Colonel, vice William Strode, deceased. Dated as above.

32*d, Foot*, Ensign Thomas Gape to be Lieutenant, vice Robert March, deceased. Dated January 18, 1776.

Mr. William Savary to be Ensign, vice Thomas Gape. Dated as above.

15*th, Foot*, Ensign Kingsmill Pennefather to be Lieutenant, vice James Sheldon; by Purchase. Dated Jannary 19, 1776.

Mr. Henry Ball to be Ensign, vice Kingsmill Pennefather, dated as above.

Florence, January 13. The Margrave of Anspach arrived here on the 11th Instant from Rome, and had an Audience of the Great Duke and Dutchess this Morning; and Yesterday the Archdutchess Christine, his Royal Highness's Sister, arrived here.

War-Office, February 1, 1776.

WHEREAS several Captains, Lieutenants, and Ensigns, appointed to additional Companies since the 14th of August, have not yet applied for Orders either to their Colonels or Agents, though directed so to do; It is His Majesty's Pleasure, That the said Officers do hold themselves in Readiness for immediate Duty, and that they do send their Address to their respective Colonels or Agents (under Cover to the Secretary at War) without Delay, or they will be superseded.—It is His Majesty's further Pleasure, That such of the said Officers as are at present in Ireland, should send their Address to Lieutenant Colonel Maunsell at Limerick, as well as to their Colonels or Agents in London.

BARRINGTON.

War-Office, February 3, 1776.

IT is His Majesty's Pleasure, That all Officers belonging to the 21st and 31st Regiments of Foot, do immediately join the said Corps, except such as may be ordered on the Recruiting Service or other Duty.

BARRINGTON.

Royal Hospital for Seamen at Greenwich, December 23, 1775.

THE Commissioners of the said Royal Hospital do hereby give Notice, that at Salters-Hall in London, on Wednesday the 27th Day of March next, (instead of the 26th of June, as before advertised) or as soon after as may be, the following Estates will be lett on Lease, to commence the 12th Day of May, 1776, viz. Kirkbank Close and the East Side of Greens Croft, now in the Tenure or Occupation of the said Henry Atkinson; that Part of Altonside Farm, held by Agreement for Ninety-nine Years, now in the Tenure or Occupation of the Representatives of Thomas Walker; Baggraw Farm, now in the Tenure or Occupation of George Jackson's Representatives, and the Tythes arising and renewing within four Closes or Parcels of Ground at Broxfield, called the Fore Fields, and the Tythe Hay of the Stanke, and the Meadow thereunto adjoining, known by the Name of Ginfield or Ginefield, alias the Gilsen Meadow, now in the Tenure or Occupation of Michael Doubleday, Esq; all which Premisses are in the County of Northumberland; and Keswick Tythes, and two Parcels of Ground near Keswick, called the Essmess or Isthmus Hills, in the County of Cumberland, now in the Possession of the said Commissioners. All Persons willing to take the said Estates, or any of them, are desired to give in their Proposals, in Writing, to Mr. Ibbetson, at the Admiralty Office, London.

N. B. The several Estates will be lett for the following Terms, viz. Kirkbank Close, Haydon West Leigh, Part of Maggees Lands, now in the Tenure or Occupation

pation of John Elliot; that Part of [illegible] Leigh, also Part of Maggees Lands, now in the Tenure or Occupation of William Wear; that Part of Haydon Town Farm, now in the Tenure or Occupation of the Representatives of Mr. Francis Stokoe, or their Under-Tenants; that Part of Millhills, now in the Tenure or Occupation of Michael Topping and Ann Brown; Gibson's Farm at Fourstones, now in the Tenure or Occupation of George Gibson and others; Lambert's Farm at Fourstones, now in the Tenure or Occupation of Cuthbert Lambert; Peelwell, now in the Tenure or Occupation of Henry Atkinson; Whitfield's Tenement, the Farms at Haydon Town and Millhills, Gibson's Farm at Fourstones, and Baggraw Farm, for Three Years; Lambert's Farm at Fourstones, Peelwell, Whitfield's Tenement, and the East Side of Green's Croft, for Six Years; Altonside Farm for One Year; Broxfield, the Stanke, and Gilsen Meadow Tythes, for Seven Years; Keswick Tythes, together or in Parcels, for Twenty-one Years, or under; and the Essmess or Isthmus Hills for Eighteen Years.

Note also, there will be no new Buildings erected, or Repairs made, on any of the above Farms.

John Ibbetson, *Secretary.*

Excise-Office, London, February 1, 1776.

FOR Sale, by Order of the Honourable the Commissioners of His Majesty's Revenue of Excise, &c. on Thursday the 22d and Friday the 23d of February, 1776, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon on each Day, will be exposed to Sale, at their Court Room in Old Broad-Street, Several Parcels of Condemned Black and Green Tea, Coffee Raw and Roasted, Chocolate, Brandy, Rum, Geneva, &c.

Printed Catalogues of the Particulars thereof may be had at the said Office on Saturday the 17th of February; and the Goods may be viewed there, and at the Warehouse at Porters Key near the Custom-House, on Monday the 19th and Tuesday the 20th of February, from Eight o'Clock in the Morning till Two in the Afternoon on each Day, and on the first Day of Sale till Twelve o'Clock.

Assurance-Office, Serjeants-Inn, Feb. 5, 1776.

THE Corporation of the Amicable Society for a Perpetual Assurance Office doth hereby give Notice, that at Christmas last, Old Stile, the several Members, or their Nominees, upon the Policies numbered as follow, viz. 60, 356, 662, 868, 1401, 1860, and 1862, were in Arrear in their Quarterly Payments or Contributions for One Year and One Quarter of a Year; and that unless such Arrears are paid off within the Space of Three Calendar Months after the Publication hereof, such several Members and their Nominees, and their respective Executors, Administrators and Assigns, will, by Virtue of the Supplemental Charter of the said Society, be absolutely excluded from all Benefit and Advantage from such Policies. Joseph Baldwin, *Register.*

BROKE open, on Sunday the 10th of February, the Dwelling-House of Robert Henry Larpent, at No. 38, Crispin-Street, Spital-Fields, and stolen, among other Things, the following Promisory Notes of Hand, viz.

One Note of Martin and Lefebure, dated the 1st September, 1775, payable to the Order of Robert Henry Larpent, Ten Months after Date, 339l. 7s.

One Note of Peltrau and Giles, dated 12th October, 1775, payable to the Order of Robert Henry Larpent, Twelve Months after Date, 94l. 10s.

N. B. The Payment of the aboveſaid Notes being ſtopped, the Public are hereby cautioned not to take them in Payment or otherwiſe, a Reward being offered by Mr. Larpent of TEN GUINEAS, upon Conviction of one or more of the Offenders.

PUrſuant to a Decree and General Order of Transfer of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of Chriſtopher Horton, late of Catton in the County of Derby, Eſq; deceaſed, are to come in and prove their Debts before John Hett, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Symond's-inn, Chancery-lane, London, on or before the 19th Day of March next, or in Default thereof they will peremptorily be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

The Royal Drummer, on the South End of the Old Bridge, Glaſgow, has been in the Practice above Thirty Years of making all Kinds of Drums, Officers Spontoons, Serjeants Halberds, Cartouch-boxes, with other Military Implements, of the beſt Quality. He can afford them full as good and cheap as any in London. He has furniſhed the above Articles already to ſeveral Regiments, which have given the utmoſt Satisfaction. He alſo makes Guns, Piſtols, Bayonets, &c. of any Conſtruction; ſo that Gentlemen of the Army, as well as others, e pecially in Scotland, may be ſerved with the above Articles upon eaſier Terms than in London.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of Samuel Phillipps, Eſq; deceaſed, late of Garenton Park in the County of Leiceſter, are to come in and prove their reſpective Debts before Peter Holford, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Symond's-inn, Chancery-lane, London, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors and Legatees (if any) of Humphry Salmon, late of Chertſey in the County of Surry, Victualler, deceaſed, are to come in and prove their Debts and claim their reſpective Legacies before John Eames, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Symond's-inn, Chancery-lane, London, on or before the 15th Day of March next, or in Default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

ALL Perſons having Demands on the Eſtate or Effects of the Reverend George Legh, LL.D. late Vicar of Halifax, Yorkſhire, deceaſed, are deſired to ſend a particular Account of ſuch Demands to Samuel Sparrow, of St. James's-ſtreet, Weſtminſter, Eſq; Mr. Carr, of Halifax aforeſaid, or Mr. William Carr, of Preſton, Lancaſhire, Attornies at Law, the Executors of Dr. Legh, in order that the ſame may be diſcharged: And all others indebted to the ſaid Dr. Legh are requeſted immediately to pay their reſpective Debts to the ſaid Executors, or one of them, otherwiſe they will be ſued for Recovery thereof.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all Perſons who have any Demands upon the Eſtate of Mr. Richard Atkinſon, late of Great St. Helens, London, Attorney at Law, deceaſed, are deſired forthwith to ſend an Account of their reſpective Debts to Mr. Thomas Mattiſon, No. 10, King-ſtreet, Cheapſide, London, who is appointed ſole Executor of Mr. Atkinſon's Will; and all Perſons indebted to the ſaid Mr. Atkinſon's Eſtate, are deſired to pay the ſame immediately to the ſaid Mr. Mattiſon.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt John Bumpus, of Long-lane, Weſtſmithfield, London, Grocer, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 14th and 20th Days of February inſtant, and on the 19th Day of March next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon on each of the ſaid Days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chooſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Thomas Pitt Smith, Attorney, Staple-inn.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Fenwick Bird the Elder, late of the City of Briſtol, Money-ſcrivener, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 14th and 15th Days of February inſtant, and on the 19th Day of March next, at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon on each Day, at the Houſe of Charles Taylor, the Rummer Tavern, in the Pariſh of All Saints in Briſtol, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees; and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination; and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Murry, Attorney, in Briſtol.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Joſeph Roſe, of the Pariſh of St. Andrew Holborn, London, Cabinet-maker, Upholder, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 10th and 20th Days of February inſtant, and on the 19th Day of March next, at Five of the Clock in the Afternoon on each of the

ſaid